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AGENDA MAINE STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION MEETING April 23, 2021 10:00 A.M.

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- 1. Call the Meeting to Order and Introductions: William McFarland, Chair Protem
- 2. Review and Approval of Minutes
- 3. Review of the Rulemaking Hearing Record for CMR 01-017, Chapters 7 and 9. The Commission will review the hearing record for Chapters 7 and 9 and provide direction to the staff relative to changes to the proposed amendments it believes are warranted.
- **4. Establishment of the 2021 Schedule of Sire Stakes Races.** CMR 01-017, Chapter 9, Section 1.3 requires the Commission to annually establish a schedule of Sire Stakes races. The Sire Stakes Advisory Committee will present a recommended schedule for the Commission to consider.
- 5. Consideration of an Advisory Opinion Relative to a Discrepency Between Chapter 7 and Chapter 13 of the Commission's Rules. Chapter 7 of the Commission's rules regulates racing, but contains one wagering requirement that limits the number of superfectas that a track can offer to three per day. However, the newly overhauled Chapter 13, which regulates pari-mutuel wagering in Maine, does not limit the number of such wagers. The Commission shall consider issuing an advisory opinion as to which chapter's requirements take precedence.
- **6.** Executive Director's Update
- 7. Other Business



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- 8. Public Comment
- **9.** Schedule of Future Meetings:
- 10. Adjourn